

ALWAYS DANGER FROM DUST

Flour, in Particular, is About as Powerful an Explosive as Gunpowder.

The housewife when making her cakes and breads seldom reflects that flour is as dangerous a explosive as gunpowder. If the contents of a six-pound sack of wheat flour were distributed through the air of a good-sized house, the lighting of a match would blow up the building. Twice the quantity of flour mixed with 1,000 cubic feet of air in a closed place would, if ignited, generate enough force to throw 2,500 tons to a height of 100 feet. What is the reason for this? When flour is distributed through the air of a room every particle of it comes in contact with the oxygen of the air; consequently it burns instantaneously on being lighted. A great quantity of gas is generated suddenly, and in trying to expand in a closed place bursts the walls of the room. Grain dust is not alone in its explosive tendencies, for metal dust, rubber dust, sugar, cork and paper dust act similarly. During the last two and a half years dust explosions in Canada and the United States have caused the deaths of nearly one hundred people and destroyed more than \$10,000,000 worth of property.

CUT SHORT HER ENJOYMENT

Self-Invited Guest's Error Excusable Under Circumstances, but Definitely Embarrassing.

It is an established custom in our village to give garden parties for church and charitable organizations. I saw my neighbor stringing lanterns from the trees and placing tables on the lawn for an evening party. Later in the evening, when the lights were gayly swinging, I invited a friend to go over to the late next door.

We seated ourselves at one of the tables, and as my neighbor approached I asked her what kind of cream they were serving. There was no choice, so I ordered two servings of vanilla and as the delicious white cake was passed I expressed a desire for chocolate.

We were nicely served and I was enjoying the party till I inquired of my neighbor what I owed her and she replied, "Oh, we were just having a little party in honor of my mother's birthday."—Chicago Tribune.

HE PROBABLY GOT WORSE

An Indiana minister of the Christian church has returned to his home town on a vacation. He was summoned to preach two sermons on Sunday and consented. His Sunday evening sermon was a doctrinal discussion of baptism. A nephew was in the audience, and as the sermon proceeded, he was wrapped deep in slumber. On the minister went into the choir of his sermon. He described a scriptural account of a baptism, reading directly a verse in which the word water was mentioned several times.

Just as he finished the verse, the nephew awoke, and yawned and stretched for a brief moment, and then drawled out loud enough for the entire congregation to hear: "I want wa—ter."

THE OCCULT DETECTIVE

In an effort to discover who threw the bomb into a banquet hall in Washington on April 8, killing six men and wounding many others, Dr. Francis Volgesi, the chief police medical officer, employed a young male medium and hypnotized him. In his trance he gave the names of two persons, who have been identified by detectives and against whom the latter say there is evidence.

SMOKERS FOR WOMEN

"Smokers" for women now make their appearance on British trains. Women have been crowding the men's compartments to an uncomfortable degree—not, officials say, because they want to ride with the men, but because they insist on smoking while traveling.—Scientific American.

DRIVEN TO IT

"What are the wild waves saying, dear?" "I don't know, dear." "And why do they dance all day long?" "Well, my child, you know they cannot play bridge."

Chronic Constipation.

There are people who never have a movement of the bowels without it is produced by a cathartic. Most of them have brought that condition on themselves by the use of mineral waters and strong cathartics that take too much water out of the system and aggravate the disease they are meant to relieve. A mild laxative tonic like Chamberlain's Tablets affords a gentle movement of the bowels that you hardly realize has been produced by a medicine, and their use is not so likely to be followed by constipation. Adv.

Disabled War Veterans.

Disabled World War veterans who wish to take vocational training are urged to make application before December 15, 1922. According to a recent ruling, training will not be granted after the above date.

The Red Cross is ready to assist any ex-service man in making a claim for training. Office, 1010 1/2 Main St. (Over Long & Shinn's store), Lexington, Mo.

The Blind Boone Concert Co., will be at St. John M. E. church (colored) North Twelfth St., Lexington, Mo., December 13 and 14, 1922. Ample provision will be made for the seating of both races with the greatest comfort. Get your tickets now Adults 50c; Children 25c.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION.
STATE OF MISSOURI,
COUNTY OF LAFAYETTE—ss.
In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, February Term, 1923, at Lexington. In vacation November 24th, 1922.

John W. Moore, doing a Coopership business in the City of Marshall, Missouri, under the name of J. W. Moore Coopership Company, Plaintiff,
vs.
John J. Henner, Defendant.
Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein, John W. Moore, doing a Coopership Business in the city of Marshall, Missouri, under the name of J. W. Moore Coopership Company, by his attorneys, before the undersigned, W. T. Tutt, clerk of the said circuit court, in vacation, and files herein his petition and affidavit, alleging among other things, that defendant John J. Henner, is a non-resident of the State of Missouri:

Whereupon, it is ordered by me the Clerk of said court in vacation that publication be made herein notifying defendant as follows: To the said defendant John J. Henner:
You are hereby notified that the plaintiff has commenced a suit against you in this court, by petition and attachment founded on a note for the sum of six hundred dollars, of date July 1, 1922, payable to the order of J. W. Moore Coopership Company ninety days after date, with interest from date at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, interest to compound if not paid annually, executed by you, the said John J. Henner, that your property is about to be attached, and that unless you, the said John J. Henner, be and appear at this Court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the Court House in the City of Lexington, in said County, on the 12th day of February, 1923, next, and on or before the said 12th day answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered against you and your property sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law in The Lexington Intelligencer, a newspaper published in said county of Lafayette, designated by the plaintiff and his attorney of record, for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said next February, 1923, Term of this Court.

W. T. TUTT, Circuit Clerk.
A True Copy From The Record.

Witness my hand, and seal of the Circuit Court of Lafayette County this 24th day of November, 1922.

W. T. TUTT, Circuit Clerk.
(SEAL) Dec. 8, 1922.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given, that Let- ters Testamentary on the estate of George L. Trail, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 6th day of December, 1922, by the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the undersigned within six months after the date of granting said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of granting said letters, they will be forever barred.

Witness my signature on this 6th day of December, 1922.

MARIA L. TRAIL, Executrix.

Attested by Elizabeth N. Wilson, Clerk of Probate Court for Lafayette County, Missouri.
(SEAL) Dec. 8, 1922.

Trustees Sale.

Whereas, Fannie C. Milam and James J. Milam, her husband, did by their certain deed of trust, dated the 20th day of November, 1916, and recorded in Book 207 at page 148, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds within and for Lafayette County, Missouri, convey to Joseph O. Lesueur, of Lafayette County, Missouri, as trustee the following described real estate situated in Lafayette County, Missouri, to-wit: the north half (N 1/2) of the southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of section fifteen (15); the west half (W 1/2) of the north half (N 1/2) of the northeast quarter (NE 1/4) of said section fifteen (15), and a right of way for a road over a strip fifteen feet wide off of the east end of the south half of the southwest quarter of said section fifteen, to be used for a road and passway and for no other purpose, and when it ceases to be used for a road to revert to the owner of the said described twenty acres, all in Township forty eight (48) of Range twenty-nine (29), to secure a certain promissory note executed by them for the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars, together with five interest coupons thereto attached, said note being due and payable in five years after said date, with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from date due. That said note and two of the interest coupons attached are due and remain unpaid. And whereas, said deed of trust authorizes the sale of the real estate above described in case of default in the payment of said note or interest notes, or the failure or refusal to pay the same when due and payable according to the tenor and effect of said note, by the said trustee, at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door, in the City of Lexington, Lafayette County, Missouri, first giving twenty days public notice of the time, terms and place of said sale, and of the property to be sold by advertisement in some newspaper printed and published in Lafayette County, Missouri. And whereas, said deed of trust provides that in case of the death, inability, refusal to act, or absence from Lafayette County, Missouri, of said trustee, then the (then) acting sheriff of said Lafayette County, or a person appointed in writing by the third party therein, either of whom shall thereupon become successor of said trustee and to the title to said land, and the same become vested in him, in trust for the purposes and objects of this deed of trust, and with all the powers, duties and obligations thereof, and may proceed to sell the property hereinafore described. And whereas, Joseph O. Lesueur, the said trustee did on the 29th day of September, 1922, in writing, refuse to act as such trustee, and the third party and legal holder of said notes, did, under the terms and provisions of said deed of trust, appoint in writing the undersigned J. W. Sydnor, of Lafayette County, Missouri, in lieu of said Joseph O. Lesueur, trustee.

Now, therefore, I, the undersigned and appointed acting trustee, at the request of the legal holder of said notes will, on

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8TH, 1922,
offer for sale and sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, in hand, between the hours of nine o'clock a. m., and five o'clock p. m., of that day at the Court House door in the City of Lexington, Lafayette County, Missouri, the following described real estate, in Lafayette County, Missouri: the north half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section fifteen; the west half of the north half of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of said section fifteen, and a right of way for a road over a strip fifteen feet wide off of east end of the south half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said section fifteen, to be used for a road and passway and for no other purpose, and when it ceases to be used for a road to revert to the owner of the said described twenty acres, all in Township 48, Range 29; for the purpose of satisfying said debt and interest remaining unpaid together with the costs and expenses of executing this trust.

Witness my signature this 31st day of October, 1922.

J. W. SYDNOR,
Appointed Trustee

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, made on the 16th day of November, 1922, the undersigned, Public Administrator for said County, has taken charge of the Estate of Abraham L. Wright, deceased.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said order, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if said claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of said order they will be forever barred.

This 16th day of November, 1922.

D. W. SHERMAN,
Attested by Stephen N. Wilson Judge of Probate for Lafayette County, Missouri.
(SEAL) Nov. 24, 1922.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The shareholders in The Lexington Building and Loan Association, of Lexington, Mo., are hereby notified that a meeting of such shareholders in said Association is hereby called to be held on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11th, 1922,
for the purpose of voting on a proposition to increase the capital stock of The Lexington Building and Loan Association, of Lexington, Mo., from One Million Five Hundred Thousand dollars (\$1,500,000.00), its present capital stock, to Two Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000.00). Such meeting will be held at the office of A. F. Winkler, Secretary of said Association, corner of 10th Street and Franklin Avenue, Lexington, Missouri, and will begin at nine o'clock A. M. and continue

until four o'clock P. M. of that day. Done by virtue of a resolution passed by the Board of Directors at a regular meeting held September 15th, 1922.

Witness our hands this September 30th, 1922.

E. N. HOPKINS,
President of The Lexington Building and Loan Association, of Lexington, Mo.

A. F. WINKLER,
Secretary.

Oct. 6, 1922-10t.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that Let- ters of Administration on the estate of C. T. Vaughan, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 21st day of November, 1922, by the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the undersigned within six months after the date of granting said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefits of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of granting said letters they will be forever barred.

Witness our signatures on this 21st day of November, 1922.

LEONARD VAUGHAN,
L. E. VAUGHAN,
Administrators.

Attested by Elizabeth N. Wilson, Clerk of Probate for Lafayette County, Missouri.
(SEAL) Nov. 24, 1922.

MISSOURI

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION

Project No. 220
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals, addressed to the County Clerk of Carroll County, Carrollton, Missouri, or the County Clerk of Lafayette County, Lexington, Missouri, and endorsed "Proposal for the construction of the Missouri River Bridge upon the Carrollton-Marshall road near Waverly, Missouri, Project No. 220" will be received by the State Highway Commission until eleven (11) o'clock A. M. on the 20th day of December, 1922, and at that time will be publicly opened and read at the County Court Houses, Carrollton and Lexington, Missouri.

The proposed work includes the construction of two four hundred nineteen (419) ft. spans, three two hundred fifty-seven (257) ft. spans, one one hundred forty-five (145) ft. span, two eighty (80) ft. spans and one twenty (20) ft. span, all of structural steel on concrete piers.

Plans and specifications are on file, and may be inspected in the office of the State Highway Commission, Jefferson City, Missouri, or in the office of the Consulting Engineers, Harrington, Howard & Ash, Kansas City, Mo.

A set of plans can be obtained from the State Highway Commission or the Consulting Engineers upon deposit of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), which amount will be refunded if both plans and specifications are returned in good condition within ten days after date of the letting.

The State Highway Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

B. H. PIEPMEIER,
Chief Engineer,
Jefferson City, Mo.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that Let- ters of Administration on the estate of James Tolbert, alias James Talbot, James Talbot, and James Tolbot, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 27th day of November, 1922, by the Probate Court of Lafayette County, Missouri. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the undersigned within six months after the date of granting said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of granting said letters, they will be forever barred.

Witness my signature on this 27th day of November, 1922.

HENRY C. CHILES,
Administrator.

Attested by Elizabeth N. Wilson, Clerk of Probate Court for Lafayette County, Missouri.
(SEAL) Dec. 1, 1922.

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